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Previous references.

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Serial Nos. 5-8

Part B. for 5/6 6/14

SUBJECT.

Petition from C. Nikolaidou-Kouma
re the loan granted to her father
the late Mr Nikolaos Thiriakis.

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1 Pet. & 21.1.14 from Ag. Nikolaidou-Kouma daughter of the late Mr Nikolaos Thiriakis requesting payment of balance of loan granted by Govt.

6 Pet. & 3/2/14 from Ag. Nikolaidou-Kouma on the subject.

7 To the Revd Commissioner Dr. No R 6232 & 12/2/14
Revenue, to grant the facts, requests, and
grant the guarantee & the facts stay
of the balance of the loan.

8 Revd. & the Govt. No R 6234 & 17/2/14.
& forms the facts accordingly.

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They are Summarized below for ready reference -

(1) The petitioner's father, the late Mr Sabhapathiah, was granted two loans - one of Rs 15,000 in 1897, repayable in 15 years from May 1898 and the other of Rs 5000/- in 1899 repayable in 20 years from June 1900 under the Land Improvement Loans Regulation on the security of his three Kayamgutta villages in the Mayadunkamam. As default was made by Mr Sabhapathiah in the payment of the annual instalments, Govt ordered the recovery of the loan by the adoption of coercive measures in due course. Sabhapathiah having died before coercive measures could be taken and on the representation of his son C. Meenakshaiya, Govt directed that one of the villages be sold & the result reported to Govt. (G.O. No R 11766-8 - Agn' 90-04-7 Dy 12-3-06).

(2) However on a further representation of the aforesaid Meenakshaiya & his sister Lakshmidevianma (the present petr) Govt modified the above order in 1907 and directed that the balance of the loan with interest then outstanding

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FILE HEADING.

Petition of C. Lakshmideviamma in re the loan granted to her father the late Mr. Sabhapathiah.

From

C. Lakshmideviamma

No. Petn Dated 21.1.14 Received 23.1.14

Diary No. 5267	Enclos.	Spare Copies.	Serial No. 5

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Prays that (1) Govt may take back all the machinery on her estate in liquidation of the entire balance of the loan outstanding against and (2) a new loan of Rs 15,000/- may be granted for discharging her debts & for starting a Silk farm.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

The facts of the case are set forth in detail in the notes to the endorsements collections put up.

Agri 90-04 dt 1-7
" 161-05 dt 1-13
" 9-13 dt 1-4.

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amounting to Rs 21,000/- be allowed to be repaid by annual instalments of Rs 1000/- each with effect from 1906-07 & that in default thereof the villages be taken under Govt management. (G.O. no R 9195-7-LR 161-05-12 Dy 11-4-07). The annual income of the villages was then estimated at Rs 3240

3. The Dy Comm^r, Bangalore D^t, reported in July 1913 that all the villages had become the the property of the present petitioner and the stipulated instalments had not been paid ~~with effect~~ from 1911-12 and solicited orders of Govt in regard to the taking over of the villages under Govt management. It was ascertained at the local enquiry conducted by the Asst Comm^r that the estate had much deteriorated, the annual income having gone down to Rs 1000/- & that there was no likelihood of the loans being discharged within any reasonable period - The Rev Comm^r having opined that it would be more advantageous in the present condition of the Estate to recover the entire balance of the loan by

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proceeding against the estate. Thereby taking them under Govt management, Govt have directed in order no R 4357-8-Agri 9-13-4 Dt 12-12-13 that the outstanding loans be recovered by proceeding against the estates.

4. The petitioner now prays that as all the machinery (pumping plants &c) for installing which the loan was granted to her father, are lying useless on the estate, Govt may take over them in full liquidation of the balance of loan and that she may be granted a new loan of Rs 15,000/- for discharging her debt and for starting a silk farm.

5. The taking over of the machinery in part repayment of the loan had been considered by Govt when the order of 1908 was passed. The whole plant was Estimated by the then Chief Engr (Mr. Mc Hutchin) at Rs 9000, + he was of opinion that there was no use for them in the P.W.D then. The machinery would have greatly deteriorated by this time owing to non use &c

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Dewan's orders on the petition :—

Secretary will kindly put up a note & get this question settled & a reply sent before 15th February.

(Sd) M. V.
27.1.14

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Please submit the case fully worked up by the 5th February.

(Sd) K. R. S.
28/1/14.

Subd for orders

Para 6. Since the year 1911-12 Petr. has failed to pay the annual instalments & the annual gloss rent is about Rs 17,000. As the machinery may not fetch a decent sum if sold by auction, whether it can be made use of by the P.W.D. for any of the large works under progress may perhaps be considered. The estate is said to be worth 25 or 30 thousand rupees.

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7. The facts of the case are set forth in the memorandum

8. This is the second time that his Estate has been ordered by first to be sold for recovery of this loan. This first time [illegible] a similar order was passed being in 1908) and this party has come forward with a representation for the cancellation of the order.

9. The petr now prays

(1) that his first taken back his machinery on his Estate in liquidation of this loan

(2) that a further loan of Rs 10000/- may be advanced to her, repayable in annual instalments of Rs 1000/.

As regards (1), [illegible] of the machinery is likely to be useful for any Dept of post-war measures, agriculture, or P.W.D, [illegible] petr may apply to the Head of that Dept & negotiate with him for the purchase of for what they are worth. It is apparently impossible for this first to take charge of the machinery [illegible] and credit of his loan, in the ordinary course of business.

10. With regard to the 2nd prayer of the petr, seeing how badly the depreciation for the repayment of his loan already advanced has been kept, to sanction an additional

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loan asking arrears & withholding
issuing any fresh money with her.

Decision

1) The petitioner may be informed that no further loan can be granted.

2) One year's time may be given to her to pay the instalments overdue. In case the overdue instalments are not paid within one year, the property may be sold.

4.2.14

A draft of an order is submitted accordingly.
As another petition from C. Lakshmi-devi amma was read yesterday praying for the grant of time till the end of March 1915 for paying the instalments overdue, it has also been read in the preamble.

Pass ——— Neat draft please
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	16. Neat drafts submitted with letter Kparas 12.
	Pass 7-2-14 — 7/2/14 — bb 7/2
	Secy 17. Please put up revised drafts as suggested — Draw 10/2
	18. Revised drafts subd
	Pass 10/2/14 — 10/2/14 — bb 10/2
	Secy 19. Approved — Draw 11/2 — bb
	For issue
7	To The Revenue Commr in Mysore 2 .. Comptroller to post Go. no R 6232-3 Dy 12-2-14 Declines to grant any of the requests made in 8 no 5 d in modification of Go. no R 4357-8-Agri 9-13-4 Dy 12-12-13 directs that as a special case the Petr C. Lakshmidevamma be given one year's time to pay the instalments overdue & that in default thereof the properties be sold.
8	To C. Lakshmidevamma. Endt no R 6234 Dy 12-2-14. Informed her of the above

By

20/2/14

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Petn. No. 223

28-1-14

To

M. VISVESWARAYA Esq., B.A., L.C.E., M.I.C.E., C.I.E.,

Dewan to H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,

BANGALORE.

Your Excellency,

HAVING heard that the Revenue Commissioner has ordered the sale by auction of my property, I the undersigned humbly beg to lay the following petition before you :—

I am the daughter of the late Mr. C. Sabapathi Iyah, Bar-at-Law, and the Kayamguttah of the jodi villages of Gengenhalli, Bychikuppa and Varthoor Narsimpur. My brother Mr. C. Meenacshiyah, and I were joint owners of the said properties.

My brother wished to dispose of his share so as to be able to go to England to study for the Bar.

I did not wish that even a moiety of the property (on which my father had spent all his hard-won earnings, amounting to nearly two lakhs of rupees and half his life and energy, to bring what was mere jungle land to its present flourishing condition) should go out of the family.

So I had to raise money, (eight thousand five hundred rupees), in order to purchase my brother's share in the property, at the usurious rate of interest of rupees eighteen per cent.

I beg your Excellency to pardon me for straying from the matter in hand, but it is necessary to place before you the circumstances in which I am placed.

My late father had taken a loan of rupees twenty thousand during our minority, in the year 1895-1897, under the "Land Improvement Regulation Act." Towards the liquidation of this he had been paying the sum of rupees one thousand eight hundred ~~rupees~~ yearly, up to the year of his death, 1903.

His sudden demise left us utterly stranded, without any capital to work the estate, he having left no personal property or money, so we petitioned the Government that we were unable to pay as much as my father was paying, and that we would pay one thousand rupees a year, which favour was conceded.

Your Excellency, it is only for the past two years that we have been unable to pay owing to failure of crops.

My father utilized the money borrowed from Government in putting up a pumping plant in order to pump up water from the river Arkavati for irrigation purposes. The machinery was purchased from the Government Water Works at Hebbal. It is utterly useless to us as the cost of working it is prohibitive. As to the wisdom of the Officials and Engineers who advised the purchase of the pump I leave it to Your Excellency to judge.

To get rid of machinery useless to Government my father was made the scape goat. I leave also to Your Excellency's judgment whether it is fair that we, who had no voice in the matter, should suffer.

I therefore pray that a paternal Government take back the machinery and cancel the remaining portion of the loan.

Your Excellency, we are orphans, and our widowed mother, and ourselves and children have no other means of existence, and to deprive us of our house and home and send us out utterly destitute and disgraced cannot be the aim of a merciful, benevolent and enlightened Government.

Our family has done ~~Government~~ State service under His Highness' Government, and it is hard that such service should be rewarded by destitution and disgrace.

I therefore most humbly beseech Your Excellency that the prayed for favour be granted :—

I. That the Government take back the machinery in liquidation of the now existing portion of the debt.

II. That a further loan of 15,000 rupees be granted, twelve thousand to pay off the sowcar principal and interest and three thousand rupees as capital for improving the property and starting a silk farm.

The loan shall be paid back in yearly instalments of Rs. 1,000. In case of failure of payment no further concessions will be asked, and the most stringent measures may be taken to recover the amount lent.

I pray Your Excellency will be merciful and grant this most humble petition.

I beg to remain, Your Excellency's
Most obedient servant,

C. Lakshmidevamma
Kayamguttah.

BANGALORE,
21st January 1914.

Bangalore.
11/23/1 22nd February 1914.

To
The General & Revenue
Secretary to the Government
of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

Sir

I beg most respectfully to enclose for information of His Excellency the Dewan a copy of the petition addressed by me to the Sub-Divisional Officer of the Bangalore District praying that I may be given time till the end of March 1915. to meet the instalments due

by Lien towards the loans
obtained by my late
father Dr. Lakshapathy Iyer
for the improvement of
the Godi villages owned
by me. And I request
that early orders may
kindly be issued
staying the sale of the
above property till the
above period.

I beg to remain
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
C. Lakshmidevamma

difference in the number of the troops
of the Government would prevent
you from till March 1915,
whereon to pay the arrears due
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I pray that these proceedings
might [illegible] for the Royal per
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To the Subdivision Officer
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Your Honour
I the undersigned humbly beg to state, that having heard that the godi villages of Gengenhalli, Byehikuppa and Kathoorhassimpura have been ordered to be sold by auction. I humbly beg to lay the following petition before you.
It is only for the past two years owing to failure of ~~crops~~, that I have failed in payment of the instalments.
The estate, as it is, is worth at least ~~8000~~ 8000. Considering that nearly seventeen years ago, the property was valued at ~~80~~ 6000 by the Government before the Loan was advanced, before all the present improvements were made, there cannot be much difference

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Date of issue 12-2-1914

Signed by Mr. B. Venkataramanaiah

Rayanigutta villages of Gangenahalli, Byachegutta and Vartur Narasimhapura in the Magadi Tk.

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Serial No. 7

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

READ

Lr no R 4357-8 Agri
9-12-4 dt 12-12-1913 directing
the recording of the
balance of the loan
against the lak
Subscribed by
against the mortgaged
mixed property taken as
security for the loan.
1. Petition dated 21-1-14

ORDER.

SUBJECT.

[redacted] daughter of the late Mr Sebha-
thiah and the present pro-
prietors of the above-named
agamapatta villages praying
that Govt may take back
the machinery (pumping plant &c)
now lying on the Estate, in liqui-
dation of the entire balance of
loan and
(ii) that she may be granted
fresh loan of Rs 15,000 for
discharging her debts and for
starting a Silk Farm.

3. Further petition D 2.2-4 from
one C. Lakshmipathi praying
that she may be
given time till the end of
March 1915 for paying the
vendee instalments.

Order thereon No R6232-3
dy 12th Feby 1914

Govt are unable to grant
any of the requests made

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in the petition dated 21.1.14 read above.

2. In modification of the order of the 12th Dec 1913 read above, Govt direct that, as a special case, the petitioner be given one years time to pay the instalments overdue. In case the instalments due are not fully paid up within one year from this date, the properties concerned will be sold as already ordered.

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Desay to Govt

To

The Rev. Convent in Mysore

.. Comptroller to Govt

Part 10/2/14

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Date of issue 12-2-1914

Signed by Mr. C. Venkataraw

Immediate

No. R 6236

To Endorsement granted

to C. Lakshmidevamma

Kayamgattadar of Gangaya-

halli, Byachegowda, & Vartur

Narasimhapura villages in

the Magadi Taluk, in reply

to her petitions dated 21st

January 1914 and 2nd February

1914 praying (1) that Govt

may take back the machinery

lying on her estate in

liquidation of the entire balance

of the loan outstanding

over.

SUBJECT.

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against her petition (2) that she may be granted a fresh loan of Rs 15,000/- for discharging her debts and for starting a Silk farm and that she may be permitted to pay the overdue instalments by the end of March 1915.

The petitioner is informed that the first two prayers cannot be granted and that as a special case, Govt are pleased to grant her one year's time to pay up in full the instalments due. In case the instalments due are not fully paid up within one year from this date, the properties concerned will be sold as already ordered

By order

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for Secy to Govt

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List of enclosures

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